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TITLE OF INVENTION OPTICAL DISC DRIVE APPARATUS, METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE POSITION OF OPTICAL PICKUP UNIT, METHOD OF DETECTING AN INNERMOST POSITION OF AN OPTICAL PICKUP UNIT APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US									
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8. []	A translation of the amendment to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).								
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13. [X] []	A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.								
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